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GIRL IS ASSAULTED ON DIXON STREETS

Alice McRae Went Through Experience Tuesday Night.

COULD RECOGNIZE THE MAN

Clothing Was Torn to Shreds by Brute Who Attacked Girl Walking Alone Through Dark Street.

Miss Alice McRae, a pretty Scotch girl who came to Dixon but a couple of weeks ago, underwent a terrible experience on Tuesday night when she was assaulted by a well dressed white man somewhere in Dixon between the business district and depots.

Miss McRae, who has not been here long enough to become acquainted with the streets, was unable to tell her location. She had spent the evening with a girl friend from Sterling and that young lady, having missed the interurban car, decided he would return on the C. & N. W. About 11 o'clock she started for the depot and Miss McRae accompanied her about half way.

When she had started back alone, a man, whom she describes as being well dressed, heavy-set and of florid complexion, came up back of her and spoke to her. She ignored him and walked faster in an effort to elude him. The masher continued to follow and annoy her, and suddenly, when she was in a dark spot on the street, without warning he ran up behind her and grabbed her, throwing her to the ground.

The girl fought like a tigress for her life and honor, and finally managed to free herself from the grasp of the beast and ran away from him. After she got away from him he called, "Here, come back and get your glasses," and although she had just bought them and paid \$14 for them, she was afraid to go back.

When Miss McRae arrived at the Nachusa House, where she is employed, her clothing was torn to shreds and she was in a condition bordering a nervous breakdown. All day yesterday she was in bed, sick from the shock of the terrible experience.

Miss McRae said that after she got away from the brute who attacked her she was lost and did not know the way back to the hotel, and so when she saw someone driving along the street in a buggy she called out, asking the directions. The occupant of the buggy, a man, answered her in a fresh way and invited her to go for a buggy ride with him. The poor girl began to believe that all Dixon men were alike and a woman was safe nowhere.

The girl states that she would be able to identify her assailant, could she be brought face to face with him.

BURIED IN STERLING.

Sterling, April 24—The remains of Lemuel Allen, assistant agent at the Wood street station of the C. & N. W., who was killed while working in the yards there Thursday evening, were brought to this city last evening and were buried this afternoon from the home of E. E. Sheetz, the Masonic orders being in charge of the burial.

TO REPAIR BRIDGE IN BROOKLYN TOWNSHIP

The highway commissioners of Brooklyn township, C. A. Jeanblanc, W. F. Beemer and W. A. Derr have decided to repair the bridge over Bureau creek, three miles south of Compton, for which repairs Town Clerk W. H. Dishong has sent out notices.

HOME FOR SISTER'S FUNERAL
Raymond McGowan returned yesterday from Richmond, Va., where a telegram announcing the death of his sister, reached him. The young man was enroute to Cuba when the sad news was conveyed to him.

HAVE BABY GIRL

Word has been received in Dixon of the birth of a baby girl to Mr. and Mrs. James Shipp of Plainfield, Ill. Mrs. Shipp was formerly Miss Dorothy Brauer of Dixon.

BULLETIN

ARCHBISHOP ASSASSINATED.
Rome, Italy, April 24—Special to Telegraph.—The Catholic archbishop of Scutari, J. Seregi, has been assassinated, according to dispatches received here today.

AUSTRO-HUNGARY SPEAKS
London, Eng., April 24—Special to Telegraph.—"Take immediate action to turn the Montenegrans out of Scutari, or we will do it alone," is the ultimatum delivered to the European powers by Austro-Hungary today.

ROCHELLE SEEKS INTERURBAN LINE

CAPITALISTS READY TO PUT UP FOR EXTENSION FROM AMBOY.

Although Rochelle capitalists have made a favorable proposition to bond holders in the Northern Illinois Electric railroad work on the branch from Amboy to Rochelle has been at a standstill for nearly a year. The reason assigned is lack of interest in its extension to Rochelle by the bondholders who refuse to convert their bond holdings into stock.

Rochelle's proposition is that the bonds be surrendered for a corresponding amount of stock in the road. The exchange would cost nothing but as the matter stands the bonds are practically valueless to holders. Furthermore the chances are that they will remain so for an indefinite time, whereas, by converting them into stock the original investment may yield a fairly good revenue within a year.

The part in operation between Amboy and Middlebury is doing a good business, both in freight and passenger traffic, under present unfavorable conditions; and it must be obvious to anyone who has posted himself on the matter, that, with Rochelle as terminus, and the road properly equipped, it would become a paying proposition at once. The line runs through a section which is one of the best farming sections of the state, where a road is badly needed.

Citizens of Lee Center and Bradford are loud in their praises of the railway in their community. It has saved money for farmers all along the line. It has made money for business men in Amboy and has been of untold convenience and pleasure to the general public. M. A. Peoples is the present manager of the road and is using his best efforts to secure its extension to Rochelle.

Ogle County Reporter.

BYRON KLINE DIES IN LINCOLN, NEB.

FORMER AMBOY BOY PASSED AWAY THIS MORNING—BURIAL AT AMBOY.

Amboy, April 24—Special to Telegraph.—The body of Byron Kline, a former Amboy boy, who died in Lincoln, Neb., this morning, will be brought here for burial. The funeral will be Saturday afternoon. Further arrangements will be announced later.

TENNIS CLUB IS LAYING OUT COURTS

LOCAL ORGANIZATION TO HAVE EXCELLENT PLACE TO PLAY THIS SUMMER.

The Dixon Tennis club which has been organized with a charter membership of ten, has begun work on filling up and grading the vacant lot at the corner of Fifth street and Galena avenue for the purpose of laying out two courts for the use of the club.

This lot has been an eye-sore for some time, being used as a dumping place for ashes and refuse of all kinds. The tennis club is not only benefitting itself by placing its courts there, but is adding to the beauty of the neighborhood.

GENESEO OFFICIALS WERE HERE TODAY

MAYOR, ATTORNEY AND ALDERMEN INSPECT LIGHTING AND WATERWORKS.

Mayor Arthur Parsons, M. D.; City Attorney Jos. L. Shaw, City Clerk C. F. Luther and Aldermen E. F. Johnson, D. M. Stamm, Lawrence Yelmgren, F. O. Withrow, Leon VanZile, J. A. Titus, J. D. Hill and G. J. Smith of Geneseo were here today in conference with the Dixon city officials in regard to the lighting and waterworks conditions here. The Geneseo council is at present engaged in forming franchises for such utilities and the officials are seeking information from various other municipalities.

COMPLAINANTS WIN IN DRAINAGE CASE

JUDGE HEARD INSTRUCTED THE JURY TO FIND AGAINST DRAINAGE COMMISSIONERS.

In the circuit court yesterday afternoon after hearing the evidence in the case brought by the People upon relation of Thomas Halligan, M. J. Halligan, Bernard McCaffery, Mary McCoy, Elizabeth Haley, Ann Donovan and James Delaney vs. J. R. McCormick, E. Watkins and J. C. Lally, drainage commissioners of Union district No. 1 in the towns of Harmon and Marion, Judge Heard instructed the jury to find for the regulators or plaintiffs and against the commissioners. The case was brought on quo warranto proceedings and at the trial the right of the commissioners to do some things relating to the district. There was no business in the court today, Judge Heard going to Freeport to spend the week on.

DR. CRYOR LECTURES ON LINCOLN TOMORROW Dr. S. S. Vryor of Oregon is to lecture at the Presbyterian church tomorrow evening on "Lincoln, the Greatest American." The lecture is given under the auspices of the Sunday school class of I. R. Divine. The boys of the class have been selling tickets for the lecture, meeting with unusual success, and it is hoped the church will be filled.

TO ATTEND FUNERAL Rev. C. E. Stebbins, pastor of the Congregational church, was called to Toulon to attend the funeral of one of his former parishioners, the funeral being Friday.

◆◆◆◆◆ CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK ◆◆◆◆◆
Thursday.
◆ Dixon Stars Bazaar—Rosbrook Hall.
◆ Lend a Hand Society with Mrs. H. V. Baldwin.
◆ Royal Neighbors — At Union Hall.
◆ Friendship Lodge, W.C.O.F.—K. C. Hall.
◆ Sons of Veterans—G. A. R. Hall.
◆ Class Night Exhibition—At Y. M. C. A.
Friday
◆ Women's Missionary Society of Presbyterian Church with Mrs. D. B. Raymond, Friday afternoon.
◆ St. Anne's Guild, 2:30 p. m. at Guild rooms.
◆ St. Agnes Guild at Nachusa house, 3 p. m.
◆ Colonial Club Dance — New Armory.
◆ Recital—Strong's College of Music.
◆ Minnie Bell Rebekah Lodge—I. O. O. F. Hall.
◆ Young Women's Missionary Thank-Offering Meeting—M. E. Church.
◆ Dixon Fishing Club Banquet—I. O. O. F. Hall.
◆ Lincoln, The Greatest American—Lecture by S. S. Cryor at Presbyterian Church.
Monday.
◆ Teachers' Training Class At Y. M. C. A.

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Our New Serial Read It You'll Enjoy It

DANCE PROCEEDS FOR BIG MAINE MONUMENT

PARTY MAY 7 IN ARMORY BY U. S. W. V. FOR FUNDS FOR MEMORIAL.

Baldwin Camp U. S. W. V. of this city will give a dancing party in Armory hall May 7, the proceeds of which will be the local veterans' contribution to the big National Maine Monument which is being erected at the southwest entrance to Central Park in New York City. The memorial, which is one of the largest monuments of its kind in the country, will be unveiled the approaching Memorial day and the funds for the massive monument will be furnished entirely by popular subscription and by men who followed the colors during the Spanish campaign.

The tickets for the dance will be arranged so each purchaser may sign his name as a contributor to the memorial in memory of the soldiers and sailors who went down in the Maine and when the work is completed a big memorial booklet is to be published, giving a full description of the monument and the names of all who assisted in the work.

PRIESTS AND CHURCHES IN ROCKFORD DIOCESE

Official Catholic directory just published by P. J. Kennedy & Sons, New York, gives following statistics for past year regarding Rockford diocese: Bishop, 1; priests, 104; churches with resident priests, 63; missions with churches, 2; total churches 89; academies, 1; parishes with schools, 26; pupils, 4219; orphan asylums, 1; orphans, 95; population about 50,000 Catholics.

LICENSED TO WED
Miss Mildred Missman and Bert Malarkey, both of Dixon, were issued a license to wed today.

TEAM FROM THAT CITY WILL ROLL IN TOURNAMENT HERE.

ROCHELLE BOWLERS TO BE HERE TONIGHT

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The Rochelle bowlers will be here this evening to participate in the tournament at the Brunswick alleys. They will roll singles, doubles and fives.

Singles rolled yesterday were:
Slothower ... 168 209 245—622
Heifrich ... 134 179 125—438
Johnson ... 129 143 157—429
Fordham ... 173 158 156—487

DAYTON FLOOD PICTURES AT FAMILY THEATRE

The Family theatre will show the celebrated Lubin moving pictures of the Dayton flood tomorrow, Friday evening. These photos were taken when the flood was at its highest and are said to be the most realistic on exhibition.

In order to get an accurate idea of the terrible calamity the water caused in and around Dayton, one should see these pictures which were taken by the Lubin Co.

A FLY CATECHISM.

Where is the fly born? In manure and other filth.

Where does the fly live? In all kinds of filth. He carries filth on his feet and wings.

Where does the fly go when he leaves the manure piles and the spitoon? He goes into the kitchen, the dining room and the street.

What does the fly do there? He walks on the bread and vegetables, bathes in the milk and wipes his feet in the butter.

What diseases does the fly carry? Typhoid fever, diarrheal diseases, diphtheria, scarlet fever and any communicable disease.

How can the fly be prevented? By destroying all the filth about your premises. Screen the privy vault, cover the manure bin, burn all waste matter, destroy your garbage, screen your house.

Either man must kill the fly or the fly will kill man.

PREVENT THE FLY.

Joe Glavin went east this morning. Miss Louise Kerstie of Polo was a Dixon visitor on Wednesday afternoon.

STAGE MANAGER IS READY FOR TONIGHT

MAKES HIS FINAL PLANS FOR THE CLASS NIGHT EXHIBITION.

The Y. M. C. A. gymnasium has been nicely decorated for this evening's entertainment by the physical department.

Between 300 and 400 people will be provided for, so that no one need stay away for fear of over crowding.

The clowns are all ready to spring their original (?) jokes, and the pompous stage manager is making his final preparations at this hour—making his toilet, doncherknow.

One of the features will be in the swimming department, where a young man with all his clothing over his bathing suit will be pushed into the tank and will divest himself of the clothing without leaving the water.

TO LET CONTRACT FOR NEW BRIDGE

OGLE COUNTY AND GRAND DETOUR MEN CONFER WITH DIXON COMMISSIONERS.

W. A. Hunt, C. E. Davis and John Eckerd, bridge committee of Ogle county board of supervisors, and Marvin Davis, J. W. Meyers of the Grand Detour highway commissioners, were in Dixon yesterday conferring with the commissioners of Dixon township regarding the repairs of the county line bridge, the abutment of which was washed out this spring. Proposals for the work will be received at Town Clerk Steel's office until May 6, when the contract will be let.

MOTORCYCLISTS ON THE CARPET

OFFICERS COMPELLED TO WARN SEVERAL MACHINE OWNERS TODAY.

The local police officers have been compelled to call a number of Dixon motorcyclists on the carpet because of the carelessness with which they operate their machines in the city, especially in the business district. It is said that some of the offenders have been known to run their cycles at a speed of from 35 to 50 miles an hour within the city limits, frightening horses and narrowly missing several accidents.

ALLEGED SALE OF DECAYED MEAT

DIXON WOMEN CLAIM THEY WERE SOLD SUCH BY LOCAL BUTCHER.

According to evidence furnished local authorities this afternoon one Dixon butcher has been selling meat that was in the process of decay. It is likely that an inspection of his stock will be made.

The women who claim they had purchased meat from the butcher in question made complaint to city officials in regard to the matter this afternoon, bringing specimens which they said had been bought at his shop.

The women say they endeavored to cook the stuff, but upon putting it upon the fire the stench was so great as to immediately call their attention to it.

LICENSED TO WED
A marriage license was issued yesterday afternoon to Charles J. Mangers and Miss Maud May Bryson, of Sterling.

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WEATHER REPORT.

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitation is taken each morning at 7 o'clock and for the preceding 24 hours:

	Max	Min	Precip.
Friday	... 82	49	
Saturday	... 72	35	
Sunday	... 68	31	
Monday	... 56	26	
Tuesday	... 70	44	
Wednesday	... 78		

Social Happenings

Entertained Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Edwards of Amboy entertained a number of friends Tuesday evening at their home in a quiet way celebrating the fifth anniversary of their wedding. 500 was the game enjoyed and very happy evening is reported by all having the pleasure of attending. Mrs. Edwards served a delicious luncheon at midnight. Her table was beautifully decorated in red roses and ferns. From the chandelier were festooned red satin ribbons to each corner of the table.

Amboy Wedding

A wedding of much interest to the people of Amboy was that which took place yesterday morning at 7 o'clock at St. Patrick's Catholic church of that place, uniting the lives of Miss Catherine Boyce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Boyce, residing northwest of Amboy and Edward Loan, also of Amboy. Father Culum performed the ceremony, celebrating nuptial mass. The wedding was witnessed by a large circle of relatives and friends. Miss Minnie DeVile played the wedding march. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Hannah Boyce, as maid of honor, and Michael Loan, brother of the groom, was best man.

The bride was handsomely gowned in white messaline and mull and wore a picture hat of white. Her flowers were bride's roses and buds, carried in an arm bouquet. The maid of honor was in a beautiful white gown and she carried bridesmaid's roses.

Mendelsohn's wedding march was played as the bridal party left the church. A wedding breakfast was served to the relatives later at the home of the bride's parents.

The bride is a young woman possessing many friends and has for the past eight years been employed as bookkeeper at the Amboy Grocery company. Mr. Loan is in business in Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Loan came to Dixon and from here left for Chicago. The wedding trip includes Denver, Colo., and North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Loan will be at home after June 1st to their many friends in Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Snyder of Oregon, and John Boyce of Chicago were among the out of town guests.

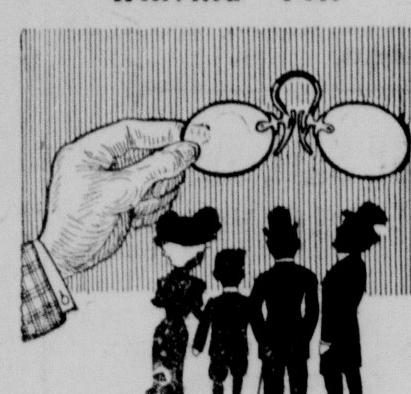
Colonial Dance

The Colonial club will give a dance at the new Armory tomorrow night. Slothrop's orchestra will play. A number of guests from Sterling and other towns are expected to attend.

Embroidery Club

The members of the Flag Corners Embroidery club held a pleasant meeting Tuesday evening with Miss Edna Nowell. The evening was spent with the needle and afterwards delicious refreshments were served at the table decorated in flowers and ferns.

WHAT YOU HAVE BEEN WAITING FOR



DULL HEADS

cannot enjoy life. In fact dullness is due to congestion of the blood in the brain. The result is a

CONFUSED MIND

unable to help itself. And the sufferer ekes out a miserable existence. Of these dull, dragging headaches there are

SEVERAL CAUSES

two or more frequently acting at the same time. Sluggish bowels are certain to make aching, weary bodies.

A trial is my most convincing argument.

DR. ROSE OPTICIAN

Neurologist and Health Instructor
223 Crawford Ave, Dixon.
Phone 160 for Appointments.

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9 A. M. to 6 P. M.
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Tillman-Royer

The marriage of Miss Cora Tillman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ell Tillman of Penrose and Mr. George Royer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Al Royer of Sterling occurred Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at St. John's Lutheran parsonage. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. C. Harris in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends. The bride wore a lilac voile dress with hat to match. She is a charming young lady and well known in Penrose.

The groom is a splendid young man and is working at the Archie Maxwell farm near Penrose. He is well known and has a large circle of friends who wish him the best of success and happiness.

Engagement Announced

Polo Press—Out of town friends of Miss Florence Hedrick of this city were recently apprised of her engagement to Chester F. Miller, Superintendent of the Polo schools for the past two years. Miss Hedrick is the daughter of Mrs. Martha Hedrick, and is one of Polo's most charming and accomplished young women. She graduated from the Polo high school with the class of 1908 and from Smith college in 1912. She is a talented musician and a member of the Lutherian church choir.

Mr. Miller has served as superintendent of the Polo public schools for the past two years and under his administration the schools have made rapid and consistent progress. He is a man of winning personality and deservedly popular.

Attended May Party

Miss Nellie Coffey of Rockford, Misses Hayes and Kahler of Rochelle, and others of town guests in attendance at Marquette May party last evening.

Guests of Mrs. Woolley.

Mrs. Benjamin Good and daughter, Mrs. Arthur Stoner of Polo, are guests at the home of Mrs. Edith Woolley of East Chamberlain street.

Party Was Great Success.

Two hundred and thirty couples, one of the largest crowds that ever attended a Marquette dancing party, were present at the club's annual May party at the Armory last evening, and all pronounced the affair one of the most enjoyable ever conducted by the club.

The floor was in excellent shape,

the decorations, consisting of floral wreaths, palms, etc., adding to the attractiveness of the new hall, and the music, furnished by Benson's orchestra of Chicago, under the direction of E. E. Sheetz, formerly of Sterling, was pronounced superb by the dancers. There were scores of out of town guests present, a list of whom was impossible because of the big crowd.

Attended Party.

Mrs. Boyd, Miss Mary D. Richie and Mr. Bartoldi of Morrison attended the Marquette club dance in Dixon last evening.

GRANT'S BIRTHDAY APRIL 27.

Gen. Grant's birthday anniversary, April 27, coming on Sunday this year, will be celebrated by the Galena Grant Birthday association Saturday, April 26. Former U. S. Senator Bailey of Texas will deliver the address. The Platteville State Normal band and glee club will furnish music on the street and in the hall. The Millidgeville drum corps has been secured to furnish music. It is expected that there will be a big parade of autos, carriages, bands, militia, old soldiers and school children. A special train will be run over the C. G. W. from Pearl City, returning in the evening. The Gazette says the interest is greater this year than any previous year.

IS IMPROVING.

W. W. Lehman, who was so badly burned in a recent gasoline explosion in his dye works, is improving slowly. At first it was believed he would lose several fingers but the chances now are that he will not.

BOY SCOUTS AT POLO

Polo will soon have a Boy Scout organization. Sunday afternoon a meeting of men and boys was held at the Methodist church to consider the advisability of a Boy Scout organization. There was a good attendance and considerable interest was shown.

Moving pictures of the Dayton Flood at the Family theatre tomorrow night.

Dayton Flood Pictures at the Family theatre tomorrow night.

Mrs. F. J. Rosbrook is ill.

C. H. Norton was here from Aurora today.

Andrew Aschenbreuner of Bradford was here today.

At Anderson Home.

Last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Anderson on North Galena avenue, 18 young folks were delightfully entertained in honor of the home-coming of the young men of the family, George and Charles, who have been in Iowa, Charles teaching at Boone and George being employed at Ogden. The guests were friends and former schoolmates and the reunion was greatly enjoyed. Games and music helped to pass the evening and a number of flashlight pictures were taken to perpetuate the pleasant scenes. Dainty refreshments were served and an enjoyable evening will long remain a memory to those present.

Missionary Society

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. D. B. Raymond, 706 N. Crawford avenue, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Attended Party.

Among the out of town guests at the Marquette May party last evening were John Sheehan, Frank McManus, Will Archer, Jerry Clancy, Misses Marie Horrigan, M. O'Neill, Mayme Clancy, Mary Maddick, Chicago; Misses Bull and Ferris, Sterling; Miss Lois Pierce, Princeton; Walter Levi, Aurora.

Royal Neighbors to Meet.

The Royal Neighbors will hold a meeting tomorrow evening in Union hall.

St. Agnes Guild.

St. Agnes Guild will hold a business meeting tomorrow at 3 p. m. at the Nachusa house. Business of importance will be transacted and a good attendance is expected.

Colonial Club.

The Colonial club will hold their regular dancing party tomorrow evening in Armory hall.

Married Today

Martin Halbmaier and Miss Verna Johnson were married this morning at 8 o'clock at the West Brooklyn Catholic church Rev. Krug officiating. They were attended by Miss Anna Halbmaier and George Halbmaier, sister and brother of the groom.

Business Meeting.

The Junior League of St. Paul's Lutheran church will hold a social and business meeting at the church Friday evening. All members of the Sunday school from 10 to 16 years are invited. A small admission fee to pay expenses will be charged.

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WILSON RUSHES BRYAN TO COAST

Secretary to Start West Tonight in an Effort to Frame a Land Law.

ACTION MOST UNPRECEDENTED

California Legislators Adopt Resolution Practically Inviting Cabinet Head to Visit Coast, with Two Japs Watching Every Move.

Washington, April 24.—At the conclusion of a conference arranged at the request of President Wilson between Ambassador Chinda of Japan, Secretary Bryan and John Bassett Moore, counselor to the state department, Mr. Bryan, made this comment here:

"The situation growing out of the controversy between the United States and Japan over the California land legislation is giving us deep concern."

Ambassador Chinda was asked concerning a statement in which he had been quoted as saying that Japan would not declare war against the United States even if the legislation characterized by the Japanese people as offensive is enacted.

Predictions Are Impossible.

"I could not have made such a statement," replied the ambassador. "It is not possible to predict what contingency might arise."

Two hours later Secretary Bryan was making his arrangements to start for Sacramento as the result of an urgent request made by the president that his personal representative be allowed to address the California assembly and senate before the final step was taken. Secretary Bryan will leave Washington late this afternoon and expects to arrive in California early on Monday. He declined to tell what arguments he will make to the California lawmakers.

Johnson Will Be Glad to See Bryan.

Sacramento, Cal., April 24.—In response to a telegram from President Wilson asking if it would be agreeable to the governor and the California legislature to have Secretary of State Bryan visit Sacramento for the purpose of counseling with them concerning alien land legislation, Governor Johnson wired the president as follows:

"I shall at all times be pleased to consult with the secretary of state, and it will be entirely agreeable to me to have the secretary visit Sacramento, as suggested in your telegram."

When the legislators began stirring they found themselves confronted with an unprecedented situation on the anti-alien land bill.

President Wires Legislators.

For President Wilson had telegraphed both houses of the legislature and also the governor that he wished to send to no less than Secretary of State William Jennings Bryan to Sacramento to "counsel" with legislators concerning the land laws to be adopted.

It was stated that no such federal interference with rights of a state legislature had ever been before attempted in the history of the country.

On the great fundamental principle of state's rights, however, there was an astonishing reversal of form.

Leaders Hold Conference.

As soon as the receipt of the president's message became known, Senator A. F. Boynton, president pro tem. of the senate, got the administration leaders into a conference in the governor's office, to formulate some progressive party policy in the matter.

Governor Johnson declined to take any part in the conference, but it was continued in one of his offices. The governor seemed to think that, as the presiding officer of the legislative bodies had been addressed on the matter, the legislative reply was no affair of his.

It was finally decided to quote the president's telegram in a wherefore, and follow that with the following:

"Now, therefore, be it resolved, by the senate of the state of California that while this senate respectfully maintains the right of the legislature of the state of California to legislate on the subject of land ownership within the state, it will be entirely agreeable to this senate to have the secretary of state of the United States to visit Sacramento for the purposes indicated in the president's telegram and"

"Be it further resolved, that in view of the probable early adjournment of the legislature, the secretary of the senate be and hereby is instructed to transmit forthwith the resolutions by telegram to the president."

Japanese Watch Proceedings.

This was the resolution finally carried to the senate, while two educated Japanese kept close watch on every thing from seats in the gallery. The assembly had first muttered about a resolution to warn Bryan to keep away and to tell the president to mind his own business, but when the resolution prepared by the senate conferees reached the lower house, it was accepted as the progressive doctrine.

The resolution was then adopted by the vote of 59 to 11.

Killed When Auto Overturns.

Danville, Ill., April 24.—John Hance, a wealthy farmer living near Newman, south of this place, was instantly killed when an automobile, which he was driving, overturned with him.

Dramatic Notes

FAMILY THEATRE

For the last half of the week beginning tonight a splendid attraction has been secured in Little Babe Wilson, a diminutive comedienne who will some day rank as one of the foremost impersonators. She is billed today as the cleverest little comedienne in vaudeville and her work is unusual and must be seen to be appreciated.

As an extra attraction the management has secured the Musart Trio in a singing and instrumental novelty that has heretofore been seen in metropolitan cities.

These numbers and the most up-to-date motion pictures complete the program.

Pictures this evening:

The Engineer, Sweeney and the Millionaire, The Love That Turned.

Max Dunning, the Chicago architect who designed the new Dixon National bank building, was here today.

Ray Miller was in Fulton today on business.

The Misses Briggs of Sterling attended the Marquette club dance last evening.

F. E. Colahan of Freeport was in Dixon yesterday.

Will M. Webb of Rockford was here yesterday.

Stephen Thomas of Easton was here yesterday.

W. W. Holton was here yesterday from Steward.

V. A. Matteson was here from LaSalle today.

Lee Reid went east this morning on business.

Gene Harrington went east this morning.

The Dayton Flood will be shown at the Family theatre tomorrow evening.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE. Modern equipped launch with new Gray 6 h. p. double cylinder engine, with canopy, dynamo and storage battery equipment, reverse propeller; also good boathouse, track, windlass and truck. Everything in best of shape. Fine location with good neighbors. Will sell at a very reasonable price. Henry Lebowich, 953

FOR RENT. House north of Bishop Hotel. Enquire of Mrs. Geo. H. Squires. Bluff Park. 97tf

LOST. Between C. & N. W. depot & Nachusa House, pair of gold rimmed glasses. Finder please return to Nachusa House and receive reward.

DEMENNTOWN ... DOINGS

Will Ford, who has broken into this col. before as an accomplished barber and other things, now has a new way of getting before the public. He wants it understood that hereafter he will be the assistant of the coroner's officials—if he can run fast enough to get to the rooms before anyone else.

Strawberries are now in style—if you have the price.

And likewise Dementtown is to have a rest room. P. O. says that half the people on the Ave. have had rest enough and such an innovation will not be needed.

Gosse Hollow Letter

One of the high-toned social events of the season at Hickeyville was the reception by the Barkin Soap club to their husbands. Tea and wafers were served. Mrs. Anse Frisby, who entertained the club, expected to have some of that pink tea she has heard so much about, but could not get any, so had to serve the ordinary kind.

Uncle Ezra Harkins says he hopes spring will hustle up as he has only one parlor sofa and three rods of rail fence left for fuel.

Lem Hoskins was walking across the field the other day with a stick of dynamite in his pocket to blast a stump when he was the victim of a collision with a playful pet goat. The doctors say Lem will be out some time next fall.

Anse Frisby, our banker and capitalist here at Hickeyville, is looking for a first-class chauffeur, one who can take a car apart; put it together and one who has a fine technical education. All the chauffeur will have to do beside taking care of the car, is to mow the lawn, tend the

furnace, wait on table, press the boss' clothes, run errands, wash dishes and pounds rugs. Salary \$12 per week.

Miss Hepzibah Tuttle, our school teacher, has had several proposals of marriage since she has been in our midst, but she says on account of the modest income income allowed to school teachers nowadays it is about all she can do to support herself.

Miss Pansy Jones' new spring skirt is so tight that she can't lean over far enough to turn a wringer or chase a red flannel shirt up and down a washboard.

It certainly beats all how many inconspicuous strangers always get into a president's cabinet. Some of them never even had their names in the paper for recommending a patent medicine.

King Solomon had a thousand wives, but he had a snap at that. Not one of em buttoned up the back.

Hank Peters says he expects to go to an art school soon to learn to be a dentist. A dentist, he says, has to do a lot of drawing.

Miss Pansy Tibbitts made some pancakes out'n a recipe she read in a magazine, and now her father has 'em on sale at his store as asbestos stove mats.

The onlyfeatfeat more difficult than feedin' red pepper to a wildcat, is tryin' to get a six-inch stovepipe into a five-inch chimney hole.

Mrs. Anse Judson hung her husband's dress coat out on the line and the goat ate the tails off. Now it is a Tuxedo.

Keeley Cure
For Drunkenness, Opium,
Morphine and
other Drug Using,
the Tobacco Habit
and Neuralgia.
THE KEELEY
INSTITUTE,
Dwight, Ill.

Correspondence Strictly Confidential.

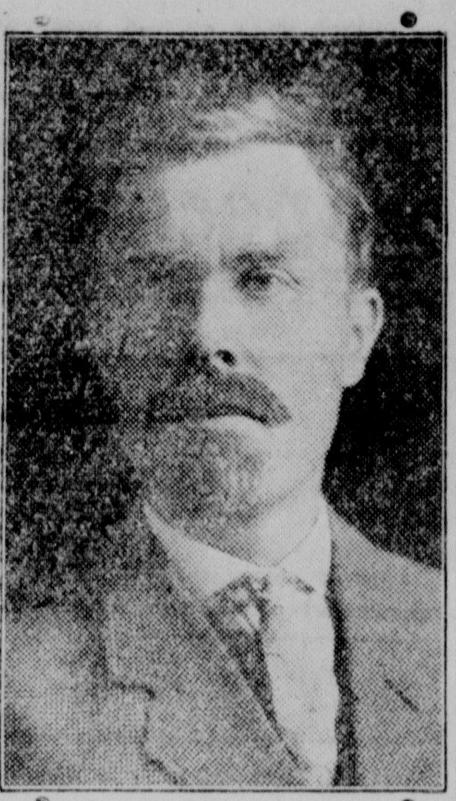
FREE ECTURE TUESDAY NIGHT

JOHN L. GIBSON WILL DELIVER
INTERESTING LECTURE
IN ARMORY.

Why should you become a British subject as so many American citizens are doing? 795,726 red-blooded Americans have crossed the border into Canada during the ten years ending Dec. 31, 1912.

The Western Michigan Development Bureau is doing what it can to stop this drain by calling attention to the millions of acres of cheap, fertile land, in Western Michigan, The Land of Fruit and Fortune.

Secy. John L. Gibson of this bu-



reau will be in Dixon, at the old Armory Hall on Tuesday, April 29th, 1913, at 8 p. m., where he will show more than one hundred colored pictures of this rapidly developing region, where the crops never fail, and will tell of the splendid chances of owning a farm, for a small investment of money, that are to be found right at home.

The admission to Mr. Gibson's lecture will be free. He will discuss the question of the application of the co-operative system to agricultural production, finance and distribution, and will tell of how this is done in Europe, where he studied the matter at first hand.

NOTICE OF AWARD OF CONTRACT

Public Notice is hereby given that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, at a regular called meeting of said Board, held at the City Clerk's Office in the City of Dixon, at two o'clock p. m., on Monday, the 21st day of April, A. D. 1913, awarded a contract for furnishing all material, tools, machinery and labor for, and the construction of concrete curbing and paving of the driveway portion of Third Street from the west line of Douglas Avenue, in said City of Dixon as provided for in City of Dixon Local Improvement Ordinance Number 140, Series of 1912, to Gund, Graham Company, Freeport, Illinois.

That said Gund, Graham Company was considered by said Board to be the lowest responsible bidder who submitted a proposal to furnish all material, tools, machinery and labor for the construction of said improvement.

That the price at which said Gund, Graham Company was awarded said contract is approximate quantities: 5358 linear feet of concrete curbing at twenty-seven (27) cents per linear foot, 20653 square yards of vitrified brick or block paving (Barr or Purington) brick to test 21 per cent at One 51-100 dollars (\$1.51) per square yard.

Filler of approved asphalt is included in the above named price per square yard.

That said Board will on or after the 3rd day of May, A. D. 1913, enter into a contract with said Gund, Graham Company to furnish all tools, material, machinery and labor for said improvement, unless the requisite number of property owners or their agents, who shall take oath that they are such owners or agents, shall within ten days after the first publication of this notice, enter into a written contract to do the whole of said work at ten (10) per centum less than the price at which the same has been awarded and commence said work within thirty days after such publication and prosecute the same with diligence.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 23rd day of April, A. D. 1913.

The Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon,

By MARK C. KELLER,

Its Attorney.

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Best Method of

Planting the Orchard

on that side as a protection against sun-scald.

After the site has been chosen, the soil should be carefully prepared before the trees are planted. It is often advisable to fall plow. This is especially true if it is sod or a weedy piece of ground. Fall plowing helps to destroy many insect pests, such as cutworms, wireworms, etc. It also insures a thorough pulverizing of the soil. All rubbish or stalks which harbor mice, insects, or other pests, or which interfere with cultivation, should be cleared away.

Unless it is already very rich, a liberal coating of manure should be applied in the fall and then plowed under. This adds humus as well as fertility, and renders the soil more open, mellow and light. By applying in the fall the organic matter has time to decay and be readily available in the spring when needed by the young trees. The plowing should be done deeply and thoroughly.

Select the trees carefully. Each one should have a good root system as well as a straight and well balanced top. All mutilated, injured or diseased roots had best be removed.

Whether the trees are directly from the nursery or have been stored or headed in during the winter, they must be planted promptly after being taken up. Do not expose the roots to the air for any length of time.

The holes ought to be dug of good size to comfortably accommodate all the roots.

The tree will thrive best if planted about three inches deeper than it stood in the nursery row.

The bottom of the hole should be made fine and mellow with the spade.

After the tree is in place throw a little loose dirt and then, if possible, pour in a gallon or two of water.

Put in the rest of the dirt and tramp firmly.

Early in the spring the ground

should be disced and harrowed until it is in a mellow, open, loose condition and the weeds which start have all been destroyed. Then the ground

is ready to be platted and the trees put in.

Many orchardists follow the custom of plowing the ground in long, narrow lanes in the fall; branches. Cut off at the place where branching of the trunk is desired.

In pruning, symmetry and regularity of growth should be maintained.

It is often advisable, especially on a south slope, to slant the trees slightly to the southwest and leave a heavier growth of branches

right at the top of the tree.

The top of the tree should now be cut back quite heavily. If the tree is only a whip, pruning back the top will induce it to send out lateral branches.

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ZOELLER'S 5 10 25c STORE FRIDAY AND SATURDAY BARGAINS

Individual butter molds	5	10c box stationery	5
4 in. flat paint brushes	25	Childrens sunbonnets	10
Scrub brushes, all kinds	10	Childrens tan stockings	10
Butter ladies	10	Curtain goods, 35 different patterns	10
Jet door knobs, pr.	10	terms, yd.	10
Screen door hinges	5	Childrens trimmed hats	25
Hammock hooks	5	Pansy plants, doz.	25
Brass stair corners, 4 for	5	Veneer furniture polish	10
Peerless foot powder	10	Moth balls, large box	5
Almond Cream for freckles	10		
1000 Yards Extra Quality White Cambric Flouncing finished in Val and Torchon Edging and Insertion and Cluster of Tucks, yd.	10		

FREE

6 SKEINS OF

Richardson's

Mercerized Cotton Floss

All we ask is that you buy

1 Pillow Top

Size: 17x22 inches. Tinted on Brown Pure Linen.



1 Back for Pillow and Diagram Lesson

Showing arrangement of stitches and color scheme

At the Regular 25 cents

Retail Price of YOUR CHOICE OF 6 DESIGNS

Spring Suits Made to Measure \$12.50 and Up.

Call and look, fit guaranteed. New hats, shirts and neckwear. Trunk and suit cases

TODD'S HAT STORE

Opera Block Phone 465

We have heard all about the pot of gold at the end of life's rainbow, but rather imagine it would take more than the magic luck of the rabbit's foot to obtain one little vision of it. We are satisfied our theory is correct, that good things, sweet things,

Henry Barnes
Henry Barry
A B Cooper
Jas L Ferguson
H Gold
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David Harrison
Mrs Chas McDonald 418 So State.
Mrs Ed McKee
Geo M Neal
Mrs A M Ray
W Sanders
Frank L Terrims
J M York.

Cards—

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L Carbom
Miss A Clausen R F D 1 Box 57
Chas Cullen 555 Ottawa Ave
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S H Higgins
Will Moon
Ed Mualey
Hyman Robinson
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Mrs Hyram Thayer
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Late Arrivals

Brilliant Inaugural of New Clothes Styles For Men and Young Men

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, APRIL 25-26, 1913

Magnificent in its Completeness

Attractive in its Styles

Pleasing in its Values

THIS STORE WELCOMES YOU AS A VISITOR



WHATEVER price you have been paying for your suits in the past we know that nowhere have you ever received such value dollar for dollar, as you will find in our new spring stock.

CLEVERLY tailored garments that even the highest priced custom tailor cannot excel in style or quality for double the price we ask, yet we freely guarantee every suit right down to the last stitch

\$15 to \$30

THE exceptional completeness of our Hat stock makes it extremely easy for every man, whatever his tastes or inclinations, to be quickly and satisfactorily hatted

\$2 to \$5

SHIRTS in such a variety of colors and patterns are seldom seen

50c to \$2.50

EVERY careful dresser is especially particular about his Cravats. Our complete stock will enable you to satisfy your most exacting notions in neckwear

50c to \$2

Bownton-Richards Co.

Four Stores

Dixon, Illinois
EVERY INCH A CLOTHING STORE

Four Stores

SPRING HOUSE CLEANING SPECIALS

36 inch figured straw matting 15c value	10C	75 pair Nottingham lace curtains, new
Special, yd		spring patterns \$1 value. Special pair
36 inch plain white straw matting extra value at	20, 25, 35C	89C
Ruffled Swiss curtains, pair	39c	9x12 room size tapestry Brussels rugs worth from \$13.50 to \$16.00. Take your choice
40 inch wide figured curtain scrims 12 1-2 and 15c quality, Special, yd	10C	\$12.50
24 inch Brussels stair carpet, yd	45C	Ruffled Swiss curtains plain and colored \$1 values Special
27 inch velvet stair carpet, yd	89C & 98C	Sash curtain rods at
44 inch wide curtain nets, white, cream and ecru, 10 choice designs to select from	20C	4C
Special, yd		Cloth window shades at
		25C
		Green bamboo porch shades 6x8 feet \$1.75, 8x8 feet \$2.25. Sample curtain ends
		Sale price
		19C
		Reduced prices on Velvet and Axminster rugs in size 36x64, 36x72 and 27x54

Special

Fine assortment Rag Rugs for bath and bed rooms at 45c, 69c 79c and \$1.00.

A. L. Geisenheimer & Co.

City In Brief

Friday and Saturday Bargains

Regular Quarter values for this week extra specials

6 doz. ladies muslin drawers, pr.	10	Chicken founts
6 doz. large bib percale aprons		Carpet beaters all kinds
each	10	5
12 doz. aluminum saucepans,		Fishing outfits
each	10	5
5 doz. 8-inch whitewash brushes		Arm bands 2 pr
each	10	5
Men's white handkerchiefs 3 for	10	Decorated china oatmeal dishes
Ladies fancy embroidery handkerchiefs, 3 for	10	Bicycle cement
5c Torchon or Cluny lace, 3 yds.	10	Childrens pat. leather belts
Dayton Flood moving picture at the Family theatre Friday night.	10	9 or 10 in. granite pie plates
Emma R. Kirby of Lee was here yesterday.	10	Glass sauce dishes 2 for
Margaret Schulz of Freeport was here yesterday.	10	Ladies collars, special
F. C. Claus of Ottawa was in town yesterday.	10	Beauty pins per card of 2
I. N. Baxter of Ottawa was in Dixon yesterday.	10	Large bead necklaces
E. E. Crowley of Sterling was in Dixon Wednesday.	10	New veillings all colors yari
Irving Trump was in Oregon on business Tuesday.	10	5c curtain rods, 3 for
Atty. C. H. Woodburn of Sterling was here today.	10	
George De C. Myers and wife of Polo were here yesterday.	10	
J. T. McGrath of Polo was here yesterday.	10	
The Family theatre will show the genuine Lubin pictures of the Dayton Flood on Friday night.	10	
Mrs Willard Beach, formerly Miss Winnifred Schrock of this city, returned to Rockford this morning after a few days' visit with relatives in Dixon.	10	
Miss Myrtle George and friend of Ashton were here yesterday shopping.	10	
Dave Barkman of Franklin Grove was here Tuesday.	10	
Judge O. E. Heard went to Freeport this morning to spend the week end with his family.	10	
Abner McGowan of Amboy was here today to attend the funeral of Miss Almeda McGowan.	10	
Miss Abbie Brimblecom of Woosung, visited Wednesday with Mrs. Irvin Trump of Polo.	10	
Major W. B. Brinton is transacting business in Omaha.	10	

Kramers 5 & 10c Store

Friday & Saturday

We Will Offer a Number of Desirable

SPECIALS

All over our three floors. Space in this ad permits us to specify only a few. Come in and look about.

Dry Goods Department

A large line of seasonable dress goods at from 10c to 25c Embroideries, flounces, edgings, insertions and

Trimmings Specially Priced

Remnants of Silk Foulards at less than cost price. Odds and ends of ginghams at 5c per yard. Odds and ends of 25c ladies' and children's hose 19c pair.

Shoe Department

We have some extra special bargains. Ask for them

Garment Department

Some \$1.25 and \$1.50 quality house dresses and kimonas at 98c. Children's dresses, rompers and play suits very cheap. Misses' skirts all colors \$3.00 and \$4.00 values at \$2.98. A great line of Ladies' coats and suits, stylish, best made fit guaranteed at the most moderate prices.

Basement Department

Special sale of new cut glassware at 1-3 value. Special discount on china dinner sets. Special discount on doll caps, baby carriages, velocipedes, wagons, etc.

Window shades 25c. Brass curtain rods 3 for 25c.

We invite your inspection.

EICHLER BROS.

Bee Hive

The celebrated Lubin films of the Dayton Flood at the Family theatre Friday night.

Dayton Flood moving picture at the Family theatre Friday night.

ANDERSON BOYS HOME.—George Anderson has returned from Ogden, Ia., where he has been employed in commercial work the past year, for the year previous being at Boone. On next Saturday he will become assistant secretary of the Clinton Y. M. C. A. Charles Anderson has also returned from Boone where he has been teaching school the past year.

The celebrated Lubin films of the Dayton Flood at the Family theatre Friday night.

Dayton Flood Pictures at the Family theatre tomorrow night.

VAILE AND O'MALLEY

Dixon's Biggest and Best Clothing Store

MAGNIFICENT showing of great values in Men's clothing. Every man in Dixon and vicinity should know about the great values we are now offering in Men's and Young Men's clothes. The combined buying power of our three big stores makes it possible for us to give you these great values--makes it possible for us to sell cheaper and for you to buy cheaper

Wonderful Suit Values \$15 and \$18

YOU MUST see these suits we are offering to appreciate the great value that is in them. Fine all wool worsteds and cassimeres in the various shades of gray, blue and brown. Every fabric all wool and cold water shrunk. Every garment finely tailored and beautifully styled. You will like the patterns and you will like the fit and style. The price will please you too for these suits are easily worth \$5.00 more than they are marked \$15 and \$18. Norfolk Suits in desirable patterns and models made from especially selected fabrics that combine appearance and practical service in all sizes from 34 to 42 priced at \$18, \$20 and \$22.50. Extra quality suits at \$25.00, \$27.50 and \$30.00.

Slip-ons and Spring Coats

S LIP-ONS are very popular garments for rainy weather. You will find many very new things here in slip-ons, new colors, new styles, some with belts, some in the soft finish material priced from \$5 to \$20. Light weight overcoats in new spring styles and shades, silk or serge lined \$12.50, to \$25.00.

Summer Shirts--Gotham and Manhattan Designs

M ANHATTAN and Gotham are names that stand for value and satisfaction in shirts. Our showing this season includes the very finest designs and fabrics. Negligee shirts with soft or stiff cuffs; summer flanneletts with cuff and detachable soft collars, priced at \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00. Racine shirts for work and dress 50c.

Summer Underwear--Closed Krotch Union Suits

C LOSED krotch union suits are the only kind you will wear if you ever try one. It is the right and practical idea in underwear. We show the closed-krotch union suits in a full assortment of grades and colors priced from \$1.00 upward. Two piece fine silk finish bal-brigan underwear extra values 50c.

Neckwear to Suit Every Taste

WE CAN satisfy the taste of the most fastidious man with the splendid line of ties we are showing. No matter what your individual taste may be you will be suited from this large assortment. New designs and very smart effects 50c. Knit tubular and flowing end ties 25c. See the new Bulgarian ties in our windows.

Hats--Very New Styles--Good Values

S TYLE and Quality are the things that count in a hat. We are showing hat styles now that others will not show until next season. It is just as easy to get a new style when you buy, they cost no more. See these new tans, greens and browns with bow in the back at \$3.00. Exceptional values \$1.50 and \$2.00.

Boys Clothes--Norfolk Suits

M OTHERS who practice economy in buying boys clothes should not overlook our boys section. To buy boys clothes that have style and wearing quality is the aim of every mother. We show boys clothes with style and quality at a price that every mother who practices economy will appreciate. Norfolk suits in many shades of gray, blue and brown \$4.00 to \$7.50. Fine cassimere suits double breasted coat, knickerbocker pants; full lined and tape seams \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$4.00, extra fine values at \$5.00.

Our Shoe Department is Replete with Styles That Are Newest and Best

T HE combination of wearing quality and good fit is the one thing this store looks to when selling you shoes. You will find here only shoes that have merit. Our lines for spring are large and varied enough to allow you plenty of range for selection. The prices are very low considering the quality. Dress shoes \$2.50 to \$5.00, good values in welt sewed shoes \$3.50, work shoes \$1.75 to \$3.00. See our special work shoes at \$2.50, boy's shoes 2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.50. Welt sewed shoes for dress \$2.75.



ILLINOIS NEWS

John List, long a resident of Belvidere died suddenly Wednesday forenoon at 11 o'clock in his place of business on Buchanan street of heart failure.

POLO TEACHER RESIGNS. Miss Mary C. Strickler who has served so efficiently as high school principal for the past four years and before that as a teacher of English in the Polo high school has decided not to return next year. Her present and former pupils, as well as her many friends will be sorry to learn of her decision.

NEW POLO FACTORY. The Polo Machine Co., will begin the erection of their new building this week. Last week this company purchased Lot 21 with a frontage of 50 feet on Jefferson street from John Lonergan and seven lots on the corner of Prairie and East Streets from Irvin Kilday of Chicago. There are about three acres in the whole tract.

"DOINGS" AT ROCKFORD

Aeroplane flights and balloon ascensions both morning and afternoon of the four days of the second

annual spring festival and homecoming celebration, at Rockford, June 3, 4, 5, and 6, will be among the many features offered to the residents of Rockford and their guests.

On the four days of the second flight and though young man, has delivered upwards of three thousand addresses to college, Y. M. C. A. and Young Peoples' Societies, all over the United States.

GOT TOP PRICE.

Henry Hintz shipped some cattle to Chicago last week, getting the top price, \$8.40.

PAT BARLOW GETS STERLING PASSENGER

Conductor Pat Barlow has been given the Sterling passenger run.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

C. L. Carter to D. D. Leonard wd \$200 lts 14, 15, blk A, Harmon.

E. Olson to E. H. Ellsworth wd \$32,000 seq sec 2 Viola.

Heirs of J. Dinges to J. Kuehne qd \$1 pt nwq sec 12 Sublette.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors who showed us so much kindness during the illness and death of our son and brother, Elmer Pontius.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pontius, Charles and William Pontius.

PROHIBITIONIST WILL SPEAK

Daniel A. Poling, who recently ran for Governor of Ohio on the Prohibition ticket, will speak in Miller's hall, Friday, April 25th, at 3:30 and 7:30 p. m. Mr. Poling is nationally noted character in the anti-saloon

Gas and Gasoline

OIL

Means

Old-time Coal Range

Less Fuel & More Heat

The coal range is a near approach to ideal heat distribution for cooking. But its heat in summer is killing.

Gas and gasoline keep down the kitchen's temperature. Still, their distribution of heat is wasteful. Too much goes out into the room.

No one wants a coal range. Besides the heat, there's ashes to contend with. And coal

An All-the-Year-Round Cook-Stove

New Perfection Oil Cook-stove

The design of its burner is such that ALL the heat is concentrated upon the bottom of the cooking utensil. None if it escapes or goes to waste. It is also more expensive. A low cost due to a denunciation of this wonderful stove and its many useful attachments. See how it broths, boils, bakes, roasts and roasts better than any coal range.

A Cook Book You Need

Ourdandy 72-page cook book mailed on receipt of five cents to cover mailing.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY
(AN INDIANA CORPORATION)
Chicago, Illinois (135)

SCUTARI CAPTURED BY MONTENEGRO

Turkish Commander Surrenders After Resistance of Over Six Months.

EIGHT THOUSAND MEN KILLED

Fatalities Are Heavy on Both Sides During the Operations—Ottoman Soldiers Fight Hard—Diplomatic Situation Mixed.

Cetinje, Montenegro, April 24.—After a final desperate attack lasting twenty-four hours the Montenegrin troops have forced their way into Scutari. The fortress for six months, since the middle of October, 1912, had offered a stubborn and heroic defense. The act of capitulation was signed by the Turkish commander shortly after the Montenegrin troops had reached the center of the city. Under the conditions of the surrender the garrison was permitted to march out of the city with its arms.

The assault which gave the Montenegrin possession of the city which has been the sole object of their war against Turkey began Monday night. The Montenegrin army took the offensive along the entire front. It completely surprised the Ottoman defenders by pushing right up to the Turkish positions, where the combatants engaged in close bayonet fighting.

Ottoman Soldiers Fight Hard.

Ottoman soldiers made a number of counted attacks and tried with their utmost energy to drive the attacking force out of their works, but they were compelled to fall back and leave their positions in the hands of the besiegers, who received constant reinforcements.

According to one report, Essaad Pasha, the Turkish commander-in-chief, realized the uselessness of further resistance after the outlying key position of Tarkosch had fallen. He is said then to have ordered his troops to cease their defense of the fortress. Another report says that the Montenegrin commander-in-chief had been negotiating with Essaad Pasha for the surrender of the place. Still another account says that the Turkish troops defended the city until the last.

Although the Servian troops did not participate in the final attack, their artillery was used by the Montenegrin gunners, and it is said that to this fact their success was largely due.

Balkan Circles Expect Solution.

London, England, April 24.—Although the capture of Scutari by the Montenegrin troops is believed in Europe capitals to have complicated the situation caused by the decision of the powers to include Scutari in the future state of Albania, the opposite view is held in Balkan circles. There the opinion prevails that, the Montenegrin having accomplished the object at which they have aimed since the beginning of the war, they will find it more easy to accept the decision of the powers, and that the latter will be more ready to grant a redefinition of the frontier which will satisfy Montenegro.

Eight Thousand Killed in Siege.
The Montenegrins are said to have lost 3,000 killed and the Turks 5,000 killed during the siege.

Most of the civilian population remained in Scutari throughout the siege. The inhabitants included about 27,000 Mohammedans and 8,000 Christians. It was said at various times that the people of Scutari were in a condition of semi-starvation, but it appears that there were quantities of grain and other stores within the city.

ALL PUPILS ARE OUT

Pittsburgh Children's Strike Paralyzed School System.

Citizens' Committee Named to Investigate Charges Against Superintendent Heeter—Marching Barred.

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 24.—Hardly ten per cent. of Pittsburgh's 70,000 school children are in attendance at the sessions here. While the disorderly processions through the streets that characterized the situation have been suppressed by the police, aided by parents, large numbers of children congregate about schoolhouses, but soon are scattered by a detail of police that has been stationed at each of the 132 schools in the city.

The children arrested when carrying banners demanding the removal of S. L. Heeter, superintendent of schools, were brought before a police magistrate and after a reprimand were turned over to their parents. The police orders are to refrain from arrests of children unless they annoy pedestrians or damage property.

No announcement has been made whether citizens selected by the board of education to investigate the reflections upon the character of Superintendent Heeter will accept the duty imposed on them.

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There need be no doubt about the ability of this good remedy, made from the roots and herbs of our fields, to remedy woman's diseases. We possess volumes of proof of this fact, enough to convince the most skeptical. Why don't you try it?

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Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.

119 Local Express 8:18 a. m.
123 Southern Exp Dly 11:18 a. m.
131 Clinton Express 5:09 p. m.
Amboy Freight 8:50 a. m.

North Bound.

132 Waterloo Exp 9:50 a. m.
124 Local Mail Dly 5:30 p. m.
120 Local Express 8:05 p. m.
Freeport Freight 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago
6 3:23 a. m. 6:45 a. m.
24 6:37 a. m. 9:15 a. m.
28 7:22 a. m. 10:30 a. m.
18 8:12 a. m. 11:00 a. m.
14 11:29 a. m. 2:15 p. m.
20 11:08 a. m. dly ex Sun 2:50 p. m.
4 4:07 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.
100 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:25 p. m.
12 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

West Bound.

No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon
5 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:20 a. m.
99 7:10 a. m. Sun only 10:23 a. m.
13 10:15 a. m. 12:53 p. m.
19 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun 3:34 p. m.
27 4:20 p. m. 7:26 p. m.
11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.
25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.
17 8:30 p. m. 10:58 p. m.
7 10:02 p. m. 12:36 a. m.
3 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.
801 Peoria Pas. Lv. Dixon 8:15 a. m.
Ar. Peoria 11:32 a. m.

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Highway Notice:

Public Letting of Contract.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned Commissioners of Highways of the Town of Palmyra, County of Lee, State of Illinois, on the Ninth day of May, 1913, for the construction of a hard road in said Town, to be located as follows:

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And that the same will be let by contract publicly to the lowest responsible bidder at the hour of Two o'Clock p. m., Friday, the Ninth day of May, 1913, at the Palmyra Town Hall.

We reserve the right to reject any and all proposals.

Plans and specifications of the work to be done on said road can be seen at the office of the Town Clerk of said Town of Palmyra.

Dated, Town of Palmyra, County of Lee, State of Illinois, this Fifteenth day of April, 1913.

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H. M. Gilbert, Town Clerk.

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To Extend Age Pension.

Berlin, April 24.—A bill reducing

the age limit at which a German work-

man is entitled to a pension from

seventy years, as at present, to sixty-

five was submitted to the imperial par-

liament by the budget committee.

WILSON TO CAPITOL

President Again Goes to Consult the Senators.

Seeks Opinions of Solons Over Appointments—Tariff Debate Opened by Chairman Underwood.

Washington, April 24.—President Wilson again went to the capitol today and consulted with senators concerning nominations he had prepared.

With the senate in session the president decided there would be less inconvenience to the senators if he himself went to the president's room, and consulted them about prospective appointments, than if the senators came to the White House.

The tariff debate is on in the house. Chairman Underwood of the ways and means committee, had marshaled an array for the fight for revision.

Mr. Underwood asked unanimous consent that the general debate close when the house adjourns next Monday evening.

The Republican leaders and Repre-

sentative Murdock, the progressive leader, argued for some time over the division of the minority time between the Republicans and the Progressives.

It was finally agreed to give the Progressives five hours of the minority time. Altogether about fifty hours of general discussion in the house will be allowed.

Other parliamentary mixups delayed things, and it was some time before Mr. Underwood began his speech.

"The enactment of this bill into law will mark the end of an era in the fiscal administration of this country, and the beginning of a new one," he began, while Democrats applauded.

Mr. Underwood discussed the origin of the present "high tariff system," declaring that it was instituted as an emergency measure during the civil war.

"These unjust war taxes," he said, "have been maintained ever since, and those who had amassed fortunes under it have controlled the government, except for one brief interval."

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Firemen Win an Advance

Wage Increase of 10 to 12 Per Cent.

Awarded by Arbitrators.

New York, April 24.—The locomotive firemen of 54 eastern railroads have won an advance of 10 to 12 per cent. in wages, or about \$3,000,000 per annum, by the decision of the arbitrators, published here. But their demand for two firemen on all heavy engines is denied, although provision is made to have a second fireman put on when necessary.

Wanamaker Chokes to Death.

Philadelphia, April 24.—Seized with

a coughing spell while eating a piece of beefsteak in a restaurant near

Tenth and Sansome streets, Nelson

Wanamaker, forty-five years old, a nephew of John Wanamaker, choked to death when the meat lodged in his throat.

Wanamaker Chokes to Death.

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WANTED. Married man and his wife to work on dairy farm. Must be steady, sober and good workers. Woman must be a good housekeeper and good cook and willing to board at least one man and what extra help needed on farm. Good wages and steady job to right parties. Reference required. I. B. Countryman, Dixon, Ill. 963*

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FOR SALE. Two gasoline engines 1 1-2 and 2 1-4 h. p., also two power washing machines, shaft drive; one new corn planter, at reduced prices. J. J. Peterson, 815 S. Galena Ave., Dixon, Ill. 964*

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Gas Explosion Injures Scores in a Coal Mine at Finleyville, Pa.

SEVENTY BODIES ARE FOUND

Relatives and Friends of Men Imprisoned Below Gather Frantically at Shaft's Entrance—Business in the Town Is Suspended.

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 24.—The lives of 100 miners, possibly 120, were lost shortly after noon when a disastrous explosion occurred in the Cincinnati mine of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke company at Finleyville, about twenty-seven miles southeast of this city. Over three score of workmen in the mine made thrilling escapes to the surface, crawling most of the time on their hands and knees through deadly gas fumes and over debris. A number suffered burns. The mine had been operated for about eighty years and it is said was known to be gaseous.

Recover Seventy Bodies.

Up to 11 o'clock at night seventy bodies of victims had been recovered. The bodies were located by rescuing squads of the United States Bureau of Mines, the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke company and of the Pittsburgh Coal company.

During the afternoon rapping was heard and rescuers reported that men were alive, shut behind the debris. By night all such sounds had ceased.

The mine is afire. Rescue work is being carried on with difficulty owing to the fire and deadly fumes. The coal company maintains a rescue corps like those of the United States Bureau of Mines.

Only a few of the miners who reached the surface were in condition to talk. From these little could be learned. Suffering from burns or fright, the miners only knew that an explosion had occurred and that a large number of men were either killed by the explosion or asphyxiated by the "fire damp."

Seven Escape Death.

Several hours after the explosion seven foreign miners crawled from one of the entrances of the mine. All were seriously burned. They could give no connected account of conditions in the mine or their individual experiences.

They all said the "mine was full of dead people."

Business in Finleyville was suspended. The greatest excitement prevailed and practically the entire community rushed to the ill-fated mine.

Relatives and friends of the men beneath the surface were frantic. A guard was placed around the entrance to the mine and all persons except rescuers and mine officials were held at a distance.

Gas Causes Explosion.

A gas explosion is thought to have caused the disaster, although this fact has not been exactly determined. Fire damp, it is said, may have been responsible.

Of the known dead all are Americans. They are John Green, Thomas Carter, son of William Carter, superintendent of the mine; Robert Anderson, machine boss; Charles Hager and John Lake.

The explosion occurred between No. 1 and No. 2 right entries, 3,000 feet from the mouth of the mine.

A. V. Brown, assistant mine foreman, stated that 179 men went to work in the mine this morning.

Thirty-eight made their escape through what is known as the Mingos entry of the mine and thirty-eight or forty miners also escaped through the Courtney entry.

At least 100 men are unaccounted for. They are in the mine and are thought to be dead.

Killed in Quarry Blast.

Riverside, Cal., April 24.—Eleven men were killed by a premature explosion of 1,000 pounds of dynamite in the quarries of the Riverside Portland Cement company at Crestmore, three miles west of here. The bodies of five have been recovered, including that of Gus Olson, powder foreman.

Miners Fall 2,200 Feet; Five Dead.

Butte, Mont., April 24.—Five miners were killed and nine injured in an accident at the old shaft of the Leonard mine of the Anaconda Copper company. William Peters lost control of the hoisting engine as he was lowering two cages of men into the mine. Both cages dropped to the sump, one falling 2,200 feet and the other 800. The engine went to pieces, wrecking the engine house and throwing pieces of iron and steel hundreds of feet.

RENEGADE MASON SUICIDE

Mining Engineer Kills Self After Breaking Oath of Order.

Douglas, Ariz., April 24.—Because he revealed secrets of the Masonic order, Ernest Louis Johnson, a mining engineer of Tucson, committed suicide in a local hotel by taking poison. He left a note explaining the cause for his self-destruction.

\$6,000 Brooklyn Fire.

New York, April 24.—Fire partially destroyed the Brooklyn factory of the American Steel Barrel company of which Mrs. Elizabeth C. Seaman ("Nellie Bly") is the principal stockholder. The damage was about \$6,000.



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